Reply of Government.—This is too
If instances are quoted, the matter wil
the Inspector General of Education.

Subject No. 18.
Inspection of Hobli Schools.

Summary of discussion.—With a
supervision over the working of Hobli S
may be required to inspect them perio
mittee appointed to manage the working

Reply of Government.—Every school as a
the members thereof should take interest and give due attention to the management of the school. Revenue Officers also pay occasional visits to these schools.

Subject No. 19.
Instruction in Hygiene in the English and the Kannada Schools.

Summary of discussion.—In all the English and the Kannada Schools in the State, Hygiene may be introduced as a compulsory subject from the lower classes.

Reply of Government.—Easy lessons in Hygiene are taught in the IIIrd Vernacular class as a compulsory subject. A text book of Hygiene is used in the IVth & Vth Vernacular classes, and though Hygiene is an optional subject in these classes, nearly every pupil learns it. No change is necessary.

Subject No. 20.
Free Libraries in places where there are High Schools.

Summary of discussion—A free library containing a sufficient number of Kannada, Sanskrit and English books, and aided by Municipalities or Government, may be established for the benefit of the public in places where there are High Schools.

Reply of Government.—Let the Municipalities concerned take the initiative and do the needful. No general order can be passed.

Subject No. 21.
The minimum strength of pupils for a maidan Hobli School.

Summary of discussion.—The minimum number of pupils required in the case of a Hobli School in a maidan District may be reduced.

Reply of Government.—The minimum average daily attendance required in a Hobli School of a maidan District is 15. It would hardly do to lower the minimum and maintain schools for less than 15 pupils. No change is called for.

Subject No. 22.
Examination of Hobli Schools by Deputy Inspectors.

Summary of discussion.—(1) Deputy Inspectors examine Hobli Schools once a year and sometimes only once in a year and a half. They should examine the schools oftener in order that their visits may prove an incentive to the satisfactory progress of education therein.

Reply of Government.—Almost all the schools are inspected by the Deputy Inspectors at least once a year. Every Hobli School is placed under the supervision of a local committee, and Revenue and other officers are expected to pay visits when they happen to be near Government schools.

Summary of discussion.—(2) Each Deputy I has such a large number as about 200 schools un